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Sir:

Applicants respectfully request a refund in the above-referenced patent application for the following reason:

An Election under 35 USC §121 was filed in the Patent Office on November 5, 2008. The submission of the Election under 35 USC §121 authorized payment of the extension fee as a large entity in the amount of \$130.00. However, Applicants qualified for small entity status at the time of paying the extension fee in the subject application. Therefore, Applicants in the

subject application were entitled to small entity status and should have paid an extension fee in the amount of \$65.00 based on their small entity status. Applicants have also submitted an Assertion of Small Entity Status to the Patent Office.

This request is being submitted within three months of the date of the payment of the extension fee, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.28. Accordingly, applicants respectfully request a refund of \$65 (one half the large entity extension fee) be credited to Deposit Account No. 19-0065.

Respectfully submitted,

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